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FOR PRESIDENT: ZACHARY TAYLOR.

CITY OF EVANSVILLE:

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1848.

The river is again falling at this point. It was falling on Saturday at Cincinnati and Pittsburg. At the latter place there were nine a President and Vice President of the United feet water in the channel.

Baltimore and was received as the guest of the city. He is on his way to Washington to attend the sittings of the Supreme Court.

Our State Legislature met again on yesterday, that is, if a quorum had sufficiently re- would not make it if we had much doubt on mand for his victories in Mexico, and for covered from their fright to venture back to the subject-what unprecedented causes for defending the rights and honor of the country. the Seat of Government, and the Governor, congratulation will exist on the 1st of January, 1849. having got his cue from the President, will now, doubtless transmit his message to the Santa Anna's Defence.- A supplement to

of Mexicans are emigrating to the Texas side ras and Churubusco: of the Rio Grande, for the purpose of availing between the two countries.

owned in St. Louis and not of much value.

received at Cincinnatti, dated Jan. 3d, says: been placed by the previous occurrences, but at circumstance of a female having been discov-Refuse all New York county banks. Half a dozen more are broke, and sales are at 10 a 20 per cent, discount. We learn that the banks

\$14,937,339 31.

"We have received a letter from Nashville, tion made me consider as an interposition of was discharged from the army, and took up her mond, on Wednesday evening, the 22d inst. which says that the friends of Mr. Clay will Providence this unexpected occurrence, which march home in a return train, still in her male on motion of Mr. Seymour, of Hardy, James very soon hold a meeting in that city and nominate him for the Presidency.

Benton will go for Mr. Van Buren for the Pre- some of our soldiers, but for the selfishness of five miles ahead, but were overtaken next day. Resolved, That it is expedient to hold a Benton will go for Mr. Van Buren for the Presidency. We are inclined to think "Old Bullion" will go for himself in preference to any lion one will say that the conferences which lion" will go for himself in preference to any lion one will say that the conferences which lion. When the seminates of the mission, and the commenced his eventful career.

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THE COST .- The Pawtucket Gazette states that the expenses of the Fremont Court Martial already amount to upwards of \$60,000 and if this be the case, it is not improbable that the expenses in the end will not be less than \$100,any consequence.

visit of the Asiatic Cholera, and advise that attention be paid to cleanliness and ventilation which he lost the respect of all his associates.

Newspapers in Italy.—It is ascertained, that and may now fight as hard against the Ameritan flag as he has fought for it." as the best means to lessen its dreadful attacks. Of 100,000 attacked in Russia, less than 20,000

ment in sending an expedition to the Red Sea, seventy-four millions per annum. may be to fish up Sodom and Gomorrah, and "annex them to the United States."

respondent of the Baltimore American says is in all respects like that of common broadthat he hears of a claim of four hundred thous- cloth. and dollars which will soon be in for drafts drawn by Colonel Fremont on our government. He states that two drafts are now on their way spatch of the battle of mexico, dated on the 18th number of Priests, and 95 additional churches rates the numbers and the power of the lawless for a million of dollars, that the specie is fur- of September, 1847, uses the following just and have been erected or dedicated. nished at Mexico by agencies of English houses who sell the bills in Mexico, and, that, when presented at Washington, the specie is received ess of this entire army. In the glorious consible that these repeated drafts and repeated duly—the killed, the wounded, and the fit for duly—at Vera Cruz, Cerro Gordo, Contreras, shipments of specie should not have some in- San Antonio, Churubusco, (three battles,) the fluence upon the money market of our coun- Molinos del Rey and Chapultepec, as much as try, and the drafts will continue to the end of those who fought at the Gates of Belen and San

We are greatly indebted to our friends and Louisville papers.

The prices of Pork last week, on account of the unfavorable weather, and the large number of Hogs coming in, was reduced to almost nothing at all; but this morning, we are in-

and Enquirer presents the following strong Whig ticket for the Presidency, and predicts its success

A PREDICTION .- On the 1st of January, 1849 The Hon. HENRY CLAY has arrived at following. Now we venture the prediction day we find the following: that the gentlemen elected will be-

> ZACHARY TAYLOR. For Vice President. DANIEL WEBSTER.

two Houses. It may be looked for by Friday's the New Orleans Picayune of the 28th ult., 81. mail, and will be laid before our readers as contains Santa Anna's defence for the loss of soon after its reception as it is possible to put the battles before the city of Mexico. It is The Matamoros Flag says that large numbers tion of the account of the battles on Contre- ner in which Capt. Drum came to his death:

The audacity of some of the enemy's dragoons themselves of the protection of American laws, went so far as to cross at full gallop the column should the Rio Grande be made the boundary which was marching from Portales to Candelaand all killed except one officer who was until he came within 80 yards of their battery TOTAL DESTRUCTION OF A STEAMBOAT BY GUN- made prisoner. This officer declared at the mo- when he sent them flying with a round of can-POWDER .- We learn by the Alex. Scott, says ment with a good deal of candor, that, "having ister: - and again on the 13th, played the same the Louisville Journal, that the steamer Sea understood from one of our prisoners that in that troop was Gen. Santa Anna, he had formbled the city. As he was carried past me on the ed the resolution with the men who were willwith a thousand kegs of powder on board, took ing to follow him, to reach him and take his still wore the stern expression of the fight; and fire near Cape Girardeau. As soon as the fire life, as if they succeeded they would acquire in the wandering of his last senses, he was still was discovered, she was run ashore, and every glory, and if they failed they would die with giving his brief but stirring words of command. person left her. The powder exploded, tearing the boat to atoms. The explosion was tree claration, I ordered that the prisoner should be except some slight shreds which held them tosaid, sensibly felt at Cairo. The Sea Bird was mired his valor and paid him the homage due to

At 4 o'clock in the morning of the following day everything was prepared for the combat in New York Banks.—A Telegraphic dispatch spite of the bad condition into which we had of this city are refusing all the county banks of No. 1, and which I accepted instantly on ac- vice as a member of Capt. Holtzscheizter's com-

The amount invested in railroads in nation. Having been made public, they have dier that they yielded. On her retnrn, she the New England States alone, is supposed to already manifested to the world the extrava-stated the facts connected with her introduc-

ion of New York on the utter incapacity of mistice. I conclude for the present; adding tigues of the campaign as well or better than the preceding resolution. the Postmaster General to manage the mails in copies of the correspondence which preceded most of the able-bodied men of the battalion.

Orleans Picayune:

"It has now become pretty certain, as I learn of morals in this branch of our army? from many who came with the train, that 000. A pretty round sum this is for the gov- Lieut. O'Sullivan, who was promoted for his ernment to pay for nothing, for we take it for gallantry at Palo Alto and distinguished himgranted that the trial will result in nothing of Mexico, after throwing up his commission joined the Mexicans, and has received an appoint-THE CHOLERA.—The Manchester Examiner though as gallant and brave a man asever lived, pounds. and other British papers, anticipate another he disgraced hinself on many occasions, by

that the expenditures of the Government for Nor so Ban .- The editor of the Maine Far- the first quarter of the present fiscal year were mer intimates that the design of our govern-

Will not the American people subscribe to Providence for the emergencies of the time; be-the language of the Commander-in-Chief? Will cause it seems to me that it is only by the great, THE NATIONAL DEET OF ENGLAND.—A Lon- they justify particular officers and citizens in cardinal and immortal principles of the Condoncorrespondent of the Courier and Enquirer, speaking of England's debt, face the number of persons who derive their support therefrom, directly, at no less than two millions. This forms rather a strong party in face army directly or indirectly, at no less than two millions. This forms rather a strong party in face army defined and the payment of the dividends.

Or The National Whig says it has a list of six hearder and two papers that go for General Taylor for President.

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ton is a fitting time for a temperance festival, lowin toast: PORK .- The Madison Banner of last Wed- and the promulgation of principles pure and "Agallant Commander and a grateful People

The National Whig of the 3d inst., announces that Dr. Davis, late Speaker of the A STRONG TICKET.—The New York Courier find some difficulty in acquiring a sufficient

A resolution was offered by Mr. Huston, of Delaware, which he moved to be committed to the Committee on Military Affairs, with instructions to report a vote of thanks to Gen. Taylor [amended by Mr. HENLY so as to read: If this prediction should be verified-and we and the officers and privates under his com-Mr. Ashman moved to amend it by adding in a war unnecessarily and unconstitutional-

CAPT. DRUM, -An officer in Gen. Scott's col-

Almost the only man I do envy is Captain Simon Drum. He led Riley's column into Conria, and they reached the parapets of this point, did effect at Molina del Rey on the 8th of Sepwhere being recognised they were fired upon, tember; advancing them at every discharge,

> MYSTERIES OF THE ARMY .- We find this in the subject. the St. Louis Republican of last Friday

A correspondent yesterday alluded to the convent of Churubusco, the loss of one-half of she remained with it until the denouement took spirits. The amount of Treasury notes outstand- our best artillery, of so many cannon and mus place, late in November. It is said that she ing on the 1st inst., it is officially stated, was kets, and finally the loss of more than one-third was enrolled as a private, under the patronage of the army, had caused such dismay that if the of one of the Lieutenants of the company, and enemy had renewed his attack, as I expected, that she was afterwards detailed as a cook to ING OF THE WHIGS OF THE LEGISLATURE,—At ness of form and firmness of mind. But oh Laurel, fired away with the rest of them." he would most assuredly have occupied the the Lieutenants' mess, remained in that situ- an assembled meeting of the Whig members of when he returns again, I shall be withered by age The Louisville Journal of Saturday says: city without much resistance. This convictation until the 28th of November, when she the Legislature of Virginia, in the city of Richard and scathed by the lightnings whilst you will be as came to change the situation in which we attire. It was afterwards discovered that her French Strother, Esq., of Rappahannock, was were, which it effectually did. Who will deny discharge was irregular, and that some difficul- called to the chair, and John S. Gallaher, of that on the Sth of September the army of the ty might grow out of it. Lt. O Hara was there- Frederick, appointed Secretary. Washington letter writers say that Col. enemy escaped most fortunately from being upon ordered to go in pursuit of the girl and destroyed? Alas! but for the cowardice of bring her back. The trains were then four or following resolutions— States were prejudicial to the interests of the ant to take her back as a regular enlisted solry. But as in the aceptance of the armistice, Col. Gilpin, when they will have to answer the to, will be found events subsequent to the ar- article; and it is added that she stood the faports to be a note addressed by one of the a National Convention. Lieutenants to this damsel, which is sufficien-ANOTHER DESERTER .- We clip the following ly romantic and love-like, but it failed to reach ing resolution: from the Vera Cruz correspondence of the New her, and the bearer a corporal in company E,

> A body that weighs one pound upon the them a most zealous and efficient support. pounds if transported to the Sun; and an ordiry sized man would there weigh four thousand propriety from the Convention itself, finally sinking into his grave. He looked upon his country

000 souls, there are not so many newspapers On An official statement signed by Daniel printed as would emanate from the single city

THE CATHOLICS IN THE UNITED STATES .-- We a private job."

Mr. Alexander Campbell says of Queen ty times that number of jails, and numberless scaffolds are daily making awful igrouds upon and at once sent to Europe. It is hardly pos- quest, ALL had contributed, early and power- Queen is as care-worn as that of any mother in America who can show five such lusty chil-ter, declares, that, if the Government give up Spring. As the old man looked upon those two trees,

> I prefer General Taylor because I sincerely believe him to be THE MAN, raised up by

We learn that the Divisions of the Sons | A Speech From Gen. Taylor .- Recorder Messrs. Taylor & Harvey for late New Orleans in this city design celebrating the approaching Baldwin of New Orleans, on the occasion of 22nd of February. The birth day of Washing- Gen. Taylor's visit to that city, gave the fol-

public is not ungrateful.

To this toast the General remarked (says the formed, it again looked up a little—\$2,50 beling asked, and \$2.25 freely offered for good.

House of Representatives, has been appointed would beg the indulgence of the company, the parent tree—when the morning-glory, like a nun —of the First Municipality Council. A stout old egraph, and the universal caoutchouc will be almost a country of the parent tree—when the morning-glory, like a nun and the universal caoutchouc will be almost a country of the parent tree—when the morning-glory, like a nun and the universal caoutchouc will be almost a country of the parent tree—when the morning-glory is a country of t ing asked, and \$2,25 freely offered for good Commissioner to China, in the place of Alex- whist he trespassed upon their social enjoy- before the shrine of God, unfolds her beautiful face, fellow, who looked as if he had gone through the wars, entirely superseded by the discovery of a kindred eleander Everett, deceased. The Doctor will ment, to say a few words in reply. His name and the moss-roses open their crimson lips, sparkling kept nudging, and elbowing his way through the ment of happiness, the Gutta Percha. knowledge of that barbarious language to make ing the gift of a free and enlightened people, known the object of his mission.

bless his Maker? When autumn comes—the season desist.

ing the gift of a free and enlightened people, of the "sere and yellow leaf"—when the wheat is and not the heritage of a royal line—without in its colden prime and the corn waves its silken contemps who is hanging on my arc, is aged and The House of Representatives on the distinguished an honor, attended, as it was tassels in the air, how those who think bow and re- infirm? Why do you crowd us so?" 3d inst. pronounced a decided censure upon ed with no small degree of awe, to the possiter, when the bosom of Old Mother Earth is cold, threw his hat into the air, can't help it,! Must see the Percha is the gum of a tree which grows on the States will have been elected, whose term of President Polk for commencing the war with bility of his filling the chair once occupied by and the white snow, like a shrowd, is on her breast, the old man! Jist let me look into his darned splen- island of Borneo, and the entire Malayan Peninsula of office will commence on the 4th of March Mexico. Among other proceedings on that Washington, Jefferson, Madison, and other and the naked trees, with leaves all fallen, stand quiv-

He, however, had always thought, that it was the duty of a citizen, to obey the voice of choice should fall an him, he would serve them to the best of his ability. But, if they should choice would be most agreeble to him.

ly begun by the President of the United States." allowed to have led, in his proper place, one the laurel, who seemed to cling to his embrace, and a dozen or two of portraits of the beggars in the char-The ayes and navs on this amendment were column of the army, to the Halls of Montezu- whispered, "See yonder boys!" "Yes," answered acter of Apostles, or Virgin Marys. A sturdy old be moulded into any form or stretched out thinner called and resulted as follows: Ayes 85, Nays mas, and been instrumental in effecting a peace the Laurel, bending gently towards him, "I see two, fellow who blacks my boots, tells me that he has been than the finest paper. When it cools it becomes hard retire to private life; and continue with his and what then the laurel said, no one ever knew. family for the remainder of his days engaged very lengthy and we can't find room for the umn, writing to a friend in Cincinnatti, gives accustomed in his youth. As it was, he was in agricultural pursuits, to which he had been whole of it, but we give the concluding por- the following interesting account of the man- in the hands of the people and would cheerfully abide their decision, be it what it may.

> TAYLOR MEETING AT WASHINGTON .-- The following short account of the Taylor Meeting letter of the Baltimore Sun:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. ing, at Coleman's Hotel, to make preparations go back again." for a movement at the seat of the government in favor of bringing General Taylor before the country as a condidate for the Presidency .-There were about three hundred persons present, of all parties, and the greatest enthusiasm

the boat to atoms. The explosion was tremendous, and the shock it produced was, it is

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The meeting was addressed by Mr. Sherman, of Alabama; Governor Gayle, of Alabama, and New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and count of our desperate situation, as will appear pany, from St. Louis, at Fort Leavenworth.— tirely to the people, the large majority of whom y No. 2.

The company to which she was attached left were daily becoming supporters of old "Rough and Ready."

The meeting adjourned in fine

Mr. Scott of Fauquier county, offered the

took place with the commissioner of the U. her sex and the determination of the Lieuten- Electoral Ticket, for the approaching Presidential Election, and taking into consideration the propriety of expressing the preference of little stockade. Within there are stern soldiers sleepthe Whig party of the State, for some person ing on their arms, and women with their children gant and unjust pretensions of that government tion into the army as a soldier, and the part as a fit candidate for the Presidency; and also clasping to their bosoms. Without there are dusky amount to \$50,000,000. In these States there which, abusing its preponderance or good for- which she alleged Lieut Schnabel had acted in of the propriety of sending delegates to a Whigh savages, who are creeping stealthily towards their alare 2,240 miles of railroad track, either finished or in progress of construction.

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derstand that a petition is new circulating on what, in those days, it would be treason in me was going at large about the Fort, as lively as sembled on the 23d day of Febuary next, so possible. She continued to dress in her uni- that a full expression may be given to the wish-As in the annexed report, previously referred form, of which she had drawn every necessary on the subject of the Whig party of this State, on the subject of the suggestions contained in

Mr. Caperton, of Monroe, offered the follow-

Resolved, As the opinion of the Whig mem-Can this be taken as a fair sample of the state ZACHARY TAYLOR will be a most acceptable candidate to the people of Virginia, for the Presidency; and that he will receive from

yielding their concurrence.

Newspapers in Italy. - It is ascertained, that in the Whig papers of the State. JAMES F. STROTHER, Chm'n. JOHN S. GALLAHER, Sec'y.

"The army will be maintained in Mexico, even

Water-proof broudcloth is manufactur- learn from the Catholic Almanac for 1818 that of the Baltimore Sun, understood to be semi- ration of our citizens for the hero of the day had no human heart—you who have so often fallen? ed by a company who carry on the business at the Catholic population in this country is esti- official. The idea is, that, if the Governments CLAIMS AND DRAFTS.—The Washington cor- 263 Water street New York. Its appearance mated at 1,190,700. Within the United States of the United States and Mexico make peace, ops, 830 Priests, and 907 Churches. Twenty army of ruffians, land-pirates, and cut-throats, that he could, the plain old warrior, liken aother Den-Priests died last year. There has been in the and lay waste and take possession of Mexico tatus, came home. The cannon roated and the gay THE WHOLE ARMY.—Gen. Scott, in his desame period of time an accession of 76 to the
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same period of time an access and desperate wretches in this country. He forgets that about thirty State penitentiaries, fif-

From the N. O. Delta, January 1st. NEW YEAR'S TALE: THE PROPHECY OF THE PINE.

the 4th March, 1849, will prove that this Re- Who has ever heard the soft whisper of the green fights in Mexico, preserved an unruffled countenance. tain that the next age will surpass the present in the report of the New Orleans Bulletin that as an running through his heart? And then, when the bade him "welcome!" A near relation of the old a circle it can have no end. Steam has lost one half allusion had been made to the Presidency, he peach-blossoms hang like rubies from the stem of General was walking with the worthy Alderman its consequence by the invention of the magnetic telhad been brought forward in connection with that high office, the most exalted on earth, bebless his Maker? When autumn comes-the season desist. his participation. Nor did he now covet so in its golden prime, and the corn waves its silken gentleman who is hanging on my arm, is aged and the majority of purposes for which that material has with such weighty responsibilities. He look- member the reaper Death! And then again in win- "Can't help it, boss," exclaimed the intruder, as he many cases where India-rubber was insufficient. Gutering in the wind!

Hush! How the torrents of wind sweep over that majestic river; in the "dark and bloody ground." eral without delay, after which, he went on "his way the people; and if it should happen that their The waves rise, and the tall trees bow their heads.— rejoicing."—N. O. Delta. The sky is as clear as crystal, and millions of stars prefer another, who would fill the station are glittering, but oh! the air is freezing cold! In this with greater advantage to his country, such a drama of life there were but four-on the one side A lively correspondent of the New York Mirror, there were a pine and a laurel tree, and on the other writing from Rome, gives us the following sketch of ty degrees, it is nearly as hard as wood; it is extreme He had hoped, as that plan of operations had two small, though stalwart boys. By the motion of a character he met there: been determined upon, that he would have been the wind the lordly pine flung his green arms around "Every American artist that comes here sends home with Mexico, after which, he had desired to and they are going to-" A gust of wind came up, painted twenty-eight times in the character of Saint and tough again and retains its plastic shape without

ed, as though their roots were not fast in the ground! Presently the two boys came panting to the shoreone sat under the Pine, and the other under the Laurel. Then again the trees spoke, but the boys did attained to uncommon sanctity, but he is in truth, not hear them. The shortest but stoutest of the two the greatest rogue I have seen in Italy. boys, wiping the cold drops from his brow, said to his companion, "Well it was a hard swim, but 1 made recently held at Washington City, is from the up my mind to do it, and you know when I say yes, it is yes! I'm goin' down the river to-morrow, but I'll see them same old trees again, and I'll bet I'll be in my; country in which he or one of his family doing something else then than I am now. Darn-A preliminary meeting was called this even-but old Whetsel says it's wrong to curse-come, let's

The two boys again plunged into the almost frozen stream, and regained the other side. The tall, dark Pine then bent towards the Laurel, and said: "See the vigor of yonder youth! The winds which come from the deep blue above, the abode of Him who James F. Holladay was called to the Chair, made me, teach me prophecy. As 1 lift my broad to expose him." "A precious pair you are, to be sure ed in favor of the objects of the meeting, and feel as though I knew the secrets of time. Cease, calling for a general expression of opinion on gentle Laurel, cease the tremulous action of thy leaves, for thou too hast the spirit of prophecy."

the Hon. Meredith P. Gentry, of Tennessee .- like a chieftain on his mountain home, gazing upon been a party of Pawnees, who had been defeated by or lead cannot now be used. the speeches were most eloquent and humor- the river that flowed beneath his feet. A moment Arapahoes and Sioux, and fled to the American camp ous, and were received with great favor by the after a swift breeze swept through his green branches, for shelter. They expected to find enployment in meeting. They recommended that nothing and again he spoke: "Fifty years from now that same premature should be done—that there was no occasion at present for moving too rapidly in will then be a gray-haired man. What will thou occasion at present for moving too rapidly in will then be a gray-haired man. What will thou under considerable odium. -St. Louis Union.

> The Laurel answered timidly: "I will give him a wreath of my brightest leaves: I can do no more!"

It was 1808, when a stalwart young man looked at his commission as a Lieutenant in the U.S. Army, and out before successive little flocks in the same He felt his warrior-soul struggling within him. He place for upwards of thirty years. When the film of wax, more tenacious than enoutchouc, more durable had just been married to a beautiful girl, but, with death was gathering over his eyes, which were soon than iron; nothing can injure it but a hot fire, and to do battle for his country. After performing prod- dren in his arms and blessed them, he said, "It is get- can deface it. For floor cloths it will supersede the

Hark! it is midnight and the tall trees wave around a rushing up from their repose, the affrighted inmates ing a long time, and if you'll have patience tiil I can Resolved, That our Whig fellow-citizens perceive that they are surrounded by savages, and get a wedding dress made, I'll be thine, motives have been attributed to me injurious charge of making a false muster roll, without throughout the State, are requested to send deto my reputation, I can no longer keep secret a surgeon's examination. Meanwhile, the girl legates to the Whig State Convention to be aseous yells of the Indians, serve to make the scene terrible. At this moment, the commander of the little fort showed the cool, calm courage, and indomitable spirit of a veteran. The fort was saved, and the These resolutions were adopted, with only Indians were defeated. * * Nearly thirty years resumption of hostilities, marked numbers 3 One of our German papers published what purmocks of the land named by the Spaniards the "Land of Flowers." Here again he saw the savage foe, and after innumerable sufferings, chastised and conquered him. His country rewarded him, and he retired to was imprisoned in attempting to deliver it .- bers of the General Assembly of Virginia, that his farm, with the resolve, that whenever his services should again be required, he would be in readiness to

shed the last drop of his blood in her defence. . . There was an old, white-haired man-s man who This resolution was adopted with almost en- had battled for his country since his boy-hood, and tire unanimity, four members, who thought the who had been rewarded with the highest honor in the as upon his child, and he felt that she had been ag-Resolved, That the proceedings be published grieved "Who shall avenge her wrongs?" asked one who stood by his bedside. The old man pointed to the Mississippi, and the visitor knew whom he

Two years after this, a stout built veteran arrived Graham, Register of the U. S. Treasury, shows of Boston or Philadelphia, and they are small should it be on their own book. Should the in New Orleans; he seemed to have the nerve and vig-"seven by nine sheets," containing little else Government to-morrow abandon the war, there or of half a century to come in his constitution, and are hundreds of thousands of American citizens beneath his gray brows flashed eyes of fire. Without than advertisements and the decrees of the Government.

are auditeds of thousands of American Crizens who will take it up. Commodore Stockton has declared that, if the Government give up the shores of the hostile land. The breaths of all were re-Californias, he will take possession of them, as pressed until they heard from the leader of these gall- words of reproach upon him who has erred from the ant men-but when the news of Palo Alto came, and path of duty! Why denounce him and spurn him This is from the Washington correspondence the glorious victory of Resaca was received, the admi- from yor presence? Can you be a stranger to the bounds. Then came a glorious chain of victories, hundreds of thousands of the people of the bought, however, by the precious life-blood of the

> It was only a few days ago, when an old man, with folded arms, stood upon the banks of a noble river .-On the opposite side stood a blasted pine; its gray and withered object. Near it, however, there was a Commodore Stockton, according to this wri- laurel tree, with leaves as fresh as those it wore in the Californias, he will take possession of them Memory came to his aid, and he remembered the The evidence was held to be conclusive. as a private job. The gallant Commodore scene of the boyish exploit nearly fifty years ago. As should remember, that, when a man commits he gazed, a gentle breeze swept through the branchland-piracy as a private job, the public authorities may chance to hang him as a public job.— A current of the river brought the bough to the old man's feet. That man was Zachary Taylor.

nto the river!"

The tarpaulin patriot was introduced to the Gen-

THE ADVANTAGE OF A "RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION."-

Paul, thirteen times as Joseph, nine times as Saint the slightest change by contraction or warping. Its Oh! how the wind roared, and how the trees rock- Peter-he cannot remember how many times as the tenacity is wonderful; a thin slip sustained a weight "Roman Father," and as "the Head of an Old Man," of fifty pounds; the process of melting and coloring at least a thousand times. One would think that from assuming these characters so often, he would have

The rascal prides himself a good deal on being sent was not hung up in a gilt frame. He said to me yesof my pocket handkerchiefs, to show his contrition, he said he and his daughter, (who is quite as great a

The Indians at Fort Mann who were so unaccount-The wind was fulled, and the lordly Pine stood ably assailed by Capt. Petrzen's orders, seem to have sand shapes, and for thousands of purposes where iron

A SOLDIER'S FIRST FIGHT .-- A young soldier of the "And I," said the Pine, "will give him a portion of Bridge in Mexico, says—"My feelings at the first fire, kinds, from the cornices of a house, the capitals of my strength and spirit. I will give him those qual- I amunable to describe. I did not feel inclined to run, ities which will preserve him from the snows of win- yet was afraid to fire, for fear I should kill somebody-GEN. TAYLOR IN VIRGINIA .-- A MEET- ter and the heat of summer. I will give him manli- but after two or three rounds, it was all over, and I

We scarcely know of a more touching instance of "the ruling passion strong in death" than is afforded eye, it must supersede all other materials. in the last words of a schoolmaster who had gone in

A Long Lane .- The following is from a languishing swain to his gentle divinity :

Oh! lady, hear thy lover sigh, No truer heart there is than mine; I read compliance in your eye, Then why not say at once, I've kept you wait-

ORIGINAL.-Somebody tells the truth in this way: The steed called Lightning, (says the Fates) Is owned in the United states. 'Twas Franklin's hand that caught the horse; 'Twas harnessed by Professor Morse.

[Boston Chronot ype. This horse must surely be a mare, O' Reilly's got a young 'un here; If she's the mother of the colt, His sire must be a thunderbolt. Things like are told in ancient fable, May happen in a modern stable; Old Franklin's Lightning cannot match him, Old Morse nor the old Devil catch him.

Show me the wife that's on the watch For every little rent or scratch, And cures it with a timely patch Before you know it; She's a woman fit to match A lord or poet.

ERRING BROTHER,-Would you throw a brickbat at a friend who had fallen overboard? Would you gather stones and pile them on a bank that had fallen

> He cannot know the human heart, Who, when a weaker brother errs, Instead of acting Mercy's part, Each base malignant passion stirs. Harsh words and epithets but prove That he himself is in the wrong-That first he needs a brothers love, To nerve his heart and guide his tongue.

Before a magistrate in Boston, the other day, a witness being asked how he knew that a man and woman were husband and wife, replied, because had often heard the lady blow the gentleman up!"

ter all, if they won't have the olive branch we'll give term of seven years, of the following described resi

A TAYLOR INCIDENT -When Gen, Taylor debarked THE DOWNFALL. OF INDIA-RUBBER -Steam and from the steamboat which brought him to this city, caoutchouc were a long time looked upon as ultimates from the Barracks, his path was beset with thousands to the various uses to which they could be applied. Do trees talk? Have they no leafy lungs-do of admirers. Each one wished to grasp the warworn The possibility of discovering a substitute for either they not at sunrise, when the wind is low, and the veteran by the hand—each one to look for at least once was hardly dreamed of; but the possibilities of human birds are caroling their songs, play a sweet music?— upon the features of a man, who, in the bloodiest experience can never be guessed at; it is just as cerleaves in spring-time on a sunny morning, who did The dense mass crowded around the "old man brave," ands of progress, as that the present surpasses the not feel as though rainbow gleams of gladness were and the air was filled with the shouts of those who past. In short progress is of necessity, infinite; like

> As the gutta percha is but just coming into use, on one half of its appliances can now be surmissed, but been used, while it is capable of being employed in production of the tropics. The tree is very large and bears some resemblance to the India-rubber tree, but differs from it in its botanical characteristics. The sap of the tree exudes from its lacerated surface, but quickly becomes hard on being exposed to the air.

It is purified by being boiled in hot water, when it becomes soft and plastic; below the temperature of fiftough but becomes plastic when it is cut into thin strips; at a temperature below boiling water it becomes seems to have no effect in injuring its qualities. It burns freely and emits an odour when ignited similar to that of caoutchoue; it is easily dissolved in the oll of turpentine, but with difficulty in ether and other solvents of India-rubber.

The use of this valuable material are almost infinso often to America, and the other day he told me ite; it combines all the valuable properties of the best that he believed there was not a gentleman's parlor tanned leather, with the elasticity of coautchouc, and a durability which neither of them possesses, and for strapping machinery supplies a want that has long terday, "my son and daughter have just been sent to been seriously experienced. It will answer all the America again, one as "a Peasant Boy of the cam- purposes to which leather is applied, and is immensepagna," and the other as "a Roman Lady." Having detected him that week in an attempt to secrete one of my pocket handkerchiefs, to show his contrition, be deprived of its significance by the gutta percha.— A leaf of gutta percha, no thicker, than bank note pathief as her father) "would sit to one of my artist- per is as impervious to water as glass: for umbrellas. countrymen for a holy family, If I would promise not overcoats, roofs of houses, bottoms of ships, coverings of boxes, and in all cases where protection from wet rogue, "my religious expression is worth two cents ed into gass pipes and water pipes of any size, and any an hour more than that of any other man in Rome. degree of strength that may be required; and used for such purposes will never decompose or wearout; and being ductile and elastic it may be applied in a thou-

Its utilitatian uses are endless; it will supply the place of tin, wood, copper, iron, stone and even glass, already been used to a very considerable extent in book-binding, and for that purpose alone it must soon pillars in architecture, to the most delicate and intricate fancy work, such as snuff boxes, picture frames, knife handles, and the ornamentation of rooms, carriages, fountains, ship's cabins, steamboats, and the innumerable articles which are made to gratify the

Air, acids, and the ordinary chemical agencies have tears in his eyes, he tore himself from her white arms, to open in the presence of Him who took little chil- even that does not destroy it; and no ordinary rub known. In its hard state it can with difficulty be cut with a knite or a saw, but wheh it is soft it can be moulded into the most delicate forms by the hand of a child. Great is Gutta Percha .-- Evening Mirror.

> A MATTER OF DOUBT .- In one of the Pennsylvania Courts last week, an Irishman on being arraigned for some petty crime, was asked the usual question. "Guilty or not guilty?" The culprit very promptly answered-"Ah! how can I tell, yer honor, until I hear the witnesses?

How to BE HAPPY .- A genious in the West, gives the following as his opinion of what constitutes perfect bliss:

Be contented as long as your mouth is full and your body warm, remember the poor, kiss the pretty girls, don't rob your neighbor's hen roost, never pick an editor's pocket nor entertain the idea that he is going to treat, kick dull care to the deuce, black your boots, sew on your own buttons, and be sure to take

MINOR MORALS FOR MARRIED PROPIE.-"The last word" is the most dangerous of infernal machines .-Husband and wife should to more fight to get it than HEAR THIS, GIRLS.—The Chronotype, Boston says: they would struggle for the possession of a lighted

Keep an Epictetus in your dining room to read while waiting for the completion of your wife's

Married people should study each other's weak points, as skaters look out for the weak parts of the ice, in order to keep off them. Ladies who married for love should remember that the union of angels with woman has been forbidden

The wife is the sun of the social system. Unless she attracts, there is nothing to keep heavy bodies, like husbands, from flying into space. Wives, be lenient to the martial cigar. The smoke always hides the most disagreeable part of the bat-

The wite who would properly discharge her duties, nust neve; have a soul "above buttons." The liberties of England have been won by mutual concessions. Let the husband who would acquire

onnet. The wife's want is the husband's opportu-Notwithstanding the assertions of mathematicians, the marriage-ring is a circle which husband and wife have the problem set them of making all square.

the privilege of asking friends to dinner without no-

tice, remember this when his wife hints at a new

SHERIFF Sale.—By virtue of two writs of Fieri Facias against Ansel M. Hickman, issued out of office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, the one in favor of James Lockhart and the other in Polk and Uncle Bias.—Some writer in the Pa.

Village Record, overheard Uncle Bias talking thus:

"It's queer though! said Uncle Bias, I never thought of taking New Mexico before. But Polk's right, after the door of James Lockhart and the other in favor of James Lockhart and the othe